



# Illinois Crop Progress and Condition

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Statewide, the average temperature was 39.9 degrees, 0.4 degrees above normal. Precipitation averaged 4.69 inches, 2.13 inches above normal. Topsoil moisture supply was rated 1 percent very short, 4 percent short, 55 percent adequate, and 40 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supply was rated 1 percent very short, 8 percent short, 62 percent adequate, and 29 percent surplus. Winter wheat condition was 4 percent very poor, 5 percent poor, 33 percent fair, 47 percent good, and 11 percent excellent.

## Soil Moisture Supply: March 26, 2023

District and State	Topsoil Moisture Supply				Subsoil Moisture Supply			
	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Illinois .....	1	4	55	40	1	8	62	29

## Weather Information: March 2023

District and State	Temperature		Precipitation	
	Average	Departure from Normal	Total	Departure from Normal
	(degrees - F)	(degrees - F)	(inches)	(inches)
Northwest .....	36.2	0.9	3.35	1.34
Northeast .....	36.0	0.5	3.56	1.57
West .....	38.6	-0.5	3.60	1.29
Central .....	38.6	0.2	4.06	1.62
East .....	38.9	0.8	4.41	1.93
West Southwest .....	40.8	-0.3	4.03	1.32
East Southeast .....	42.0	0.3	5.92	2.98
Southwest .....	44.6	0.4	6.86	3.79
Southeast .....	45.7	1.2	7.40	4.02
Illinois .....	39.9	0.4	4.69	2.13

Weather data provided by the Midwestern Regional Climate Center: <http://mrcc.isws.illinois.edu>

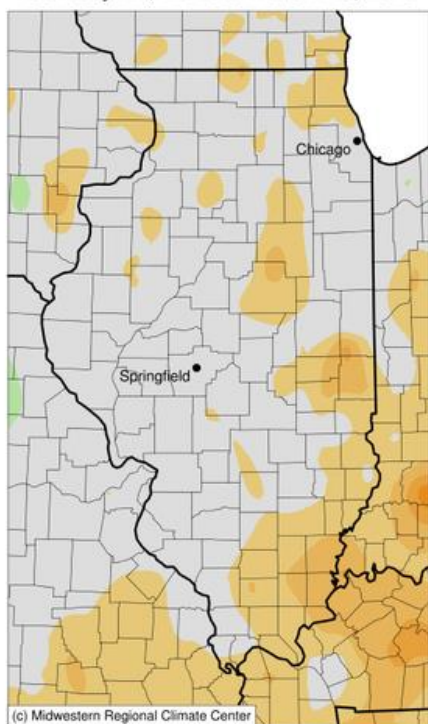
## Winter Wheat Condition – Illinois

Date	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
March 26, 2023 .....	4	5	33	47	11

- Represents zero.

### Average Temperature (°F): Departure from 1991-2020 Normals

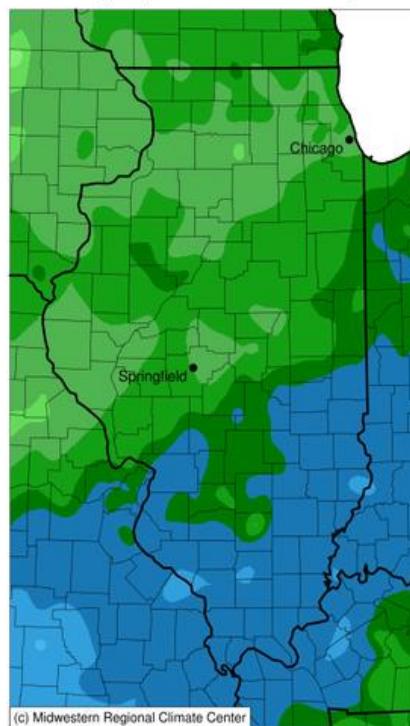
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### Accumulated Precipitation (in)

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